

BRITISH ALARMED; AIM TO HALT REDS

Lloyd George Confers in Paris as Bolshevik Threaten New World War

NEAR EAST IN GRAVE PERIL

Reds Take Odessa, Report

By the Associated Press

London, Jan. 16.—Attention of the British people is fixed on the Near East, where recent Russian successes have carried the threshold of India, Persia, Mesopotamia and Asiatic Turkey.

Cabinet members and chiefs of the British army and navy are today in Paris, yesterday they were hastily summoned and are conferring on military and naval matters in connection, it is believed, conditions in southwestern Asia.

Apprehension was aroused by the issuance of a semi-official statement yesterday pointing out the situation that has arisen through the collapse of General Denikin's army in southern Russia.

Not only was it admitted the menace from a Russian Bolshevik invasion of the Near East, but that internal conditions in Persia, Turkey and Afghanistan were threatening.

Persia Appeals to Great Britain

The Persian Government has requested Great Britain to state what assistance can be given.

An unconfirmed report from Berlin says that Kaiser Wilhelm, former Turkish king of Kurdistan, has been in Berlin, and thence proceeded to Asia Minor.

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Terrorism Is Threatened

Odessa is hemmed in by the Reds, who have moved southward until they have drawn their lines across the base of the Crimean peninsula from Nikopol to Melitopol.

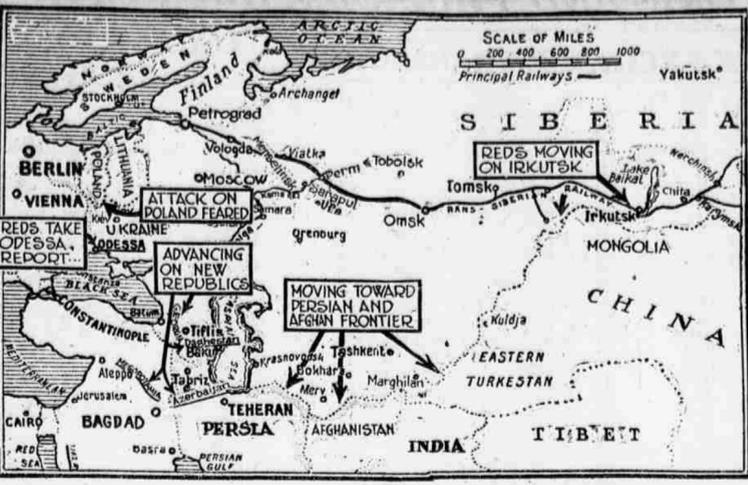
Hold 2200-Mile Line

Further to the southwest the Soviet forces have passed Kholmok and are believed to have moved southward and eastward toward the frontiers of Trans-Caucasia.

League of Nations Born This Morning

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ation "of the President of the great American people."

For Peace and Fraternity

After the delivery of the speeches M. Bourgeois announced that the only item on the order of the day was the appointment of three members of the commission to fix the boundaries of the Sarre valley, together with one member appointed by the French Government and one by Germany.

Next Meeting in London

After the appointment of the commissioners M. Bourgeois proposed London as the place for the next meeting of the council, and this was approved.

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Soviets and Islam

Exhausted Europe is capable only of half-way measures.

Turkey is First Danger Point

Dispatches from London indicate that Turkey is the first danger point.

Must Placate Mussulmans

To hold Mohammedan India, Britain has had to take Mohammedan Egypt.

And the world held is ripe for revolution. It has listened to Wilson.

The holding company which was to dominate Islam was to be based upon American resources and America's unimpaired energies.

BAIL RUSHED FOR ALIENS

Thousands in Liberty Bonds Taken to Ellis Island to Effect Release

New York, Jan. 16.—(By A. P.)—Thousands of dollars in Liberty Bonds were taken to Ellis Island by attorneys today to release on bail more men and women arrested in recent raids on extremists.

In order to deport Gregory Weinstein, "chief of staff" of "Soviet Ambassador" Martens, and others who have been released, the Immigration authorities are awaiting production of more evidence by the Department of Justice.

More than fifty arrested in raids this month had responded to questions of immigration inspectors before Weinstein inaugurated a "silence strike" followed by habeas corpus proceedings.

The men who gather for this conference are Winston Spencer Churchill, who has regarded the suppression of bolshevism as a sort of new Dardanelles exploit or new international adventure, and Mr. Lloyd George, who has all along listened to Mr. Churchill.

Cape May Duck Hunters Get Big Bag

Cape May, N. J., Jan. 16.—John W. Merray and Charles York, both prominent business men of this city, killed 120 black duck in the sounds north of this city in four days. They returned this morning.

TREATY ROUND TABLE BRINGS TRUCE NEARER

Progress Made at Bipartisan Gathering Attended by Lodge and Hitchcock

Washington, Jan. 16.—(By A. P.)—While it was said no actual agreements had been reached, leaders on both sides of the Senate treaty fight today expressed belief that some progress in the compromise movement was made at the bipartisan round table meeting of faction leaders yesterday and that the continuation of the conference arranged for tomorrow might pave the way for a final settlement.

The meeting was participated in by four Republicans and five Democrats, including Senator Lodge, Republican leader, and Senator Hitchcock, administration leader, and marked the first formal step in the negotiations for compromise reservations to the peace treaty.

All of the nine released from the island yesterday were silence strikers and attorneys believed that about fifty more would be released today.

changes were proposed. These were taken under advisement by the Republicans and hope was expressed by both sides that at the meeting Saturday or at subsequent meetings formal drafts of compromise proposals will be submitted.

Go to "the Farmers" Night workers are already kicking over the hour they lose on Sunday morning, October 20, when clocks are turned back. Who can comfort them? —Brooklyn Eagle.

Federation of Jewish Charities

Advertisement for the Federation of Jewish Charities. It features a large number '53' and the text 'You Pay To One' and 'You Support'. The text reads: 'In the Federation of Jewish Charities. IT MEANS ECONOMY—EFFICIENCY In Administering Charity—Philanthropy Welfare—Education Campaign for \$1,100,000 JANUARY 11-19 Campaign Committee Headquarters: 1511 Walnut St. Col. SAMUEL D. LIT, Chairman'.

Advertisement for Ramezes Cigarettes. It features an illustration of a man in a suit and a woman, and the text: 'Many are made but RAMESES are chosen. RAMESES CIGARETTES'.

Advertisement for Essex Motor Cars. It features an illustration of an Essex car and the text: 'ESSEX MOTOR CARS. How to Guarantee Spring Delivery of Hudson and Essex Open Models. No Large Money Outlay Required. Make Your Choice Now. We Will Store It For You and Insure You Against Disappointment'.

Advertisement for Gomery-Schwartz Motor Car Co. It features the text: 'Gomery-Schwartz Motor Car Co. 128-140 N. Broad St., Philadelphia, Pa. IMMEDIATE DELIVERIES See Hudson and Essex Exhibit at the Show'.

Advertisement for Stanley Photo Plays of America. It lists various theatres and their current photo plays, including Alhambra, Apollo, Arcadia, Bluebird, Broadway, Capitol, Colonial, Empress, Fairmount, Family, 56th St, Franklin, Great Northern, Imperial, Leader, Liberty, 333 Market, Model, Overbrook, Broad St Auditorium, Eureka, Jefferson, and Park.